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Mark Adell

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the application of:

Steven Teig

Serial No.: 09/737,245

Filing Date: 12/13/00

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR
USING CONNECTION GRAPHS WITH
POTENTIAL DIAGONAL EDGES TO
MODEL INTERCONNECT
TOPOLOGIES DURING PLACEMENT**FAX RECEIVED**
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PETITIONS OFFICE**SUPPLEMENTAL STATEMENT IN SUPPORT OF**
PETITION UNDER 37 CFR § 1.137(B)/(F) SUBMITTED ON JUNE 3, 2003

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

For the above-identified patent application, Applicants filed a Petition under 37 CFR § 1.137(B)/(F) on June 3, 2003. For another petition that Applicants filed on June 3, 2003 for U.S. Patent Application 10/066,264, Applicants received a request from the Office of Petitions on June 23, 2003, to provide the date of foreign filing of patent applications that are related to, and have the same specification as, the Patent Application 10/066,264.

Just in case the Office wants the same information for the present application (09/737,245), Applicants have prepared this Supplemental Statement to notify the Office that December 5, 2001 was the date of foreign filing of a patent application that claims priority to the patent application (09/731,891), which is the parent of the present application and has the same specification as the present application.

Dated: June 24, 2003

Respectfully submitted,

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Petition for 09/737,245

Ms. Chase,

Thanks for your call. Ms. Bond called me about the same issue last June. In response to her call, I faxed the attached Supplemental Statement on June 24.

If you need any additional information, please give me a call (650-752-0990x102).

Thanks again,
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Dear Ms. Bond:

Per our discussion earlier this morning, attached are Supplemental Statements in Support of the Petitions Under 37 CFR 1.137(B)/(F) Submitted on June 3, 2003. Also, I have listed below the other cases for which these petitions were filed. Please call me if you have any further questions.

- 09/731,891,
- 09/732,181,
- 09/737,210,
- 09/737,245,
- 09/737,220,
- 09/739,589,
- 09/739,580,
- 09/739,460,
- 09/742,171,
- 09/745,067,
- 10/013,816 (The petition already mentions the foreign filing date. Therefore, no supplemental statement was prepared for this matter.)
- 10/062,017,
- 10/061,459,
- 10/062,014,
- 10/062,044,
- 10/066,188,
- 10/062,992,
- 10/061,474,
- 10/061,719,
- 10/066,456,
- 10/062,993,
- 10/062,047.

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